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Sir:

The present application was filed more than 18 months ago and our records show that we have not yet received an official filing receipt in this case. Please forward the official filing receipt for this application.

An office action has not yet been received; the applicants hereby respectfully make inquiry as to the status of the above-identified application.

As 37 CFR 1.2 states that the action of the PTO "will be based exclusively on the written record", applicant needs and therefore requests a written reply.

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